Notices of Rulemaking Docket Opening

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The Administrative Procedure Act (APA) requires the publication of Notices of Rulemaking Docket Opening when an agency opens a rulemaking docket to consider rulemaking. Under the APA effective January 1, 1995, agencies must submit a Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening before beginning the formal rulemaking process.

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BOARD OF PHARMACY

[R08-334]

1. <u>Title and its heading:</u> 4, Professions and Occupations

Chapter and its heading: 23, Board of Pharmacy

Articles and their headings:

3, Intern Training and Pharmacy Intern Preceptors

Section numbers: R4-23-303, R4-23-304 (Sections may be added, deleted, or modified as

necessary.)

2. Subject matter of the proposed rule:

During the September 10, 2008 Board meeting, the Board discussed the need to update the intern rules as it relates to internship training hours and reports. The proposed rulemaking will amend R4-23-303 (Training Time) and R4-23-304 (Reports). R4-23-303 will be amended to reflect the internship hours received by a student in an Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE) accredited school of pharmacy and include specific requirements for graduates of a non-ACPE accredited school of pharmacy. R4-23-304 will be amended by removing subsection (B)(2), which requires reports for intern hours received outside an approved college or school of pharmacy's experiential training program. R4-23-304(B)(3) will be amended to only require documentation that a pharmacy intern who is a graduate of a Board-approved college or school of pharmacy successfully completed the experiential training program.

The rule will include format, style, and grammar necessary to comply with the current rules of the Secretary of State and the Governor's Regulatory Review Council.

The agency docket number, if applicable:

R0813

3. A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:

None

4. Name and address of agency personnel with whom persons may communicate regarding the rule:

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5. The time during which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:

The Board will accept written comments Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Oral comments may be made at the Board office Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Location: Board of Pharmacy

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Written and oral comments will be accepted until the close of record on a date and time as yet undetermined.

6. A timetable for agency decisions or other action in the proceeding:

None

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES COMMUNICABLE DISEASES AND INFESTATIONS

[R08-330]

1. <u>Title and its heading:</u> 9, Health Services

<u>Chapter and its heading:</u> 6, Department of Health Services – Communicable Diseases and Infes-

tations

Article and its heading: 7, Required Immunizations for Child Care or School Entry

Section numbers: R9-6-701 through R9-6-707, Table 1, Table 2, and R9-6-709 (Sections

may be added, deleted, or modified as necessary.)

2. The subject matter of the proposed rules:

This Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening replaces the Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening that was published March 21, 2008, in order to give sufficient notice of the purpose of the rulemaking. The purpose of this rulemaking is to amend the rules for required immunizations for child care or school entry. The rules for required immunizations for child care or school entry are in Title 9, Chapter 6, Article 7 of the *Arizona Administrative Code*. The Department is amending the rules to add a requirement for vaccination against pneumococcal invasive disease, expand the requirement for vaccination against Hepatitis A, address the issues identified in the Five-year Review Report submitted to the Governor's Regulatory Review Council in January 2008, and improve the clarity and understandability of the rules. The amended rules will also conform to current rulemaking format and style requirements, industry practice, and departmental policy.

The agency docket number:

RE-023-08

3. A citation to all published notices relating to the proceeding:

Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening: 14 A.A.R. 846, March 21, 2008

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5. The time during which the agency will accept written comments and the time and place where oral comments may be made:

Written comments will be accepted at the addresses listed in item 4 until the close of record, which has not yet been determined. The Department has not scheduled any oral proceedings at this time.

6. A timetable for agency decisions or other action on the proceeding, if known:

To be announced in the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking